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1. Determine whether the function below is 1-1.

$$f(x) = (3x - 21)^3$$

The solution is yes, which is option B.

A. No, because there is a y-value that goes to 2 different x-values.

Corresponds to the Horizontal Line test, which this function passes.

- B. Yes, the function is 1-1.
  - \* This is the solution.
- C. No, because there is an x-value that goes to 2 different y-values.

Corresponds to the Vertical Line test, which checks if an expression is a function.

D. No, because the range of the function is not  $(-\infty, \infty)$ .

Corresponds to believing 1-1 means the range is all Real numbers.

E. No, because the domain of the function is not  $(-\infty, \infty)$ .

Corresponds to believing 1-1 means the domain is all Real numbers.

**General Comment:** There are only two valid options: The function is 1-1 OR No because there is a y-value that goes to 2 different x-values.

2. Find the inverse of the function below. Then, evaluate the inverse at x = 8 and choose the interval that  $f^{-}1(8)$  belongs to.

$$f(x) = e^{x+3} - 4$$

The solution is  $f^{-1}(8) = -0.515$ , which is option D.

A. 
$$f^{-1}(8) \in [-2, -1.42]$$

This solution corresponds to distractor 4.

B. 
$$f^{-1}(8) \in [-2.82, -2.48]$$

This solution corresponds to distractor 2.

C. 
$$f^{-1}(8) \in [5.43, 5.73]$$

This solution corresponds to distractor 1.

D. 
$$f^{-1}(8) \in [-0.6, -0.48]$$

This is the solution.

E. 
$$f^{-1}(8) \in [-2.56, -2.07]$$

This solution corresponds to distractor 3.

**General Comment:** Natural log and exponential functions always have an inverse. Once you switch the x and y, use the conversion  $e^y = x \leftrightarrow y = \ln(x)$ .

3. Add the following functions, then choose the domain of the resulting function from the list below.

$$f(x) = \sqrt{4x - 25}$$
 and  $g(x) = 3x^2 + 5$ 

The solution is The domain is all Real numbers greater than or equal to x = 6.25., which is option A.

- A. The domain is all Real numbers greater than or equal to x = a, where  $a \in [4.25, 9.25]$
- B. The domain is all Real numbers except x = a, where  $a \in [0.25, 7.25]$
- C. The domain is all Real numbers less than or equal to x = a, where  $a \in [-8.8, -0.8]$
- D. The domain is all Real numbers except x = a and x = b, where  $a \in [-6.4, -1.4]$  and  $b \in [3.33, 10.33]$
- E. The domain is all Real numbers.

General Comment: The new domain is the intersection of the previous domains.

4. Find the inverse of the function below (if it exists). Then, evaluate the inverse at x = -15 and choose the interval that  $f^{-1}(-15)$  belongs to.

$$f(x) = 5x^2 - 3$$

The solution is The function is not invertible for all Real numbers. , which is option E.

A.  $f^{-1}(-15) \in [2.29, 3.07]$ 

Distractor 3: This corresponds to finding the (nonexistent) inverse and dividing by a negative.

B.  $f^{-1}(-15) \in [4.54, 5.58]$ 

Distractor 4: This corresponds to both distractors 2 and 3.

C.  $f^{-1}(-15) \in [0.83, 1.66]$ 

Distractor 1: This corresponds to trying to find the inverse even though the function is not 1-1.

D.  $f^{-1}(-15) \in [1.78, 1.96]$ 

Distractor 2: This corresponds to finding the (nonexistent) inverse and not subtracting by the vertical shift.

- E. The function is not invertible for all Real numbers.
  - \* This is the correct option.

**General Comment:** Be sure you check that the function is 1-1 before trying to find the inverse!

5. Find the inverse of the function below. Then, evaluate the inverse at x = 6 and choose the interval that  $f^{-1}(6)$  belongs to.

$$f(x) = \ln(x - 4) + 3$$

The solution is  $f^{-1}(6) = 24.086$ , which is option D.

A.  $f^{-1}(6) \in [9.39, 11.39]$ 

This solution corresponds to distractor 4.

B.  $f^{-1}(6) \in [22028.47, 22031.47]$ 

This solution corresponds to distractor 2.

C.  $f^{-1}(6) \in [11.09, 17.09]$ 

This solution corresponds to distractor 3.

D.  $f^{-1}(6) \in [23.09, 30.09]$ 

This is the solution.

E.  $f^{-1}(6) \in [8102.08, 8111.08]$ 

This solution corresponds to distractor 1.

**General Comment:** Natural log and exponential functions always have an inverse. Once you switch the x and y, use the conversion  $e^y = x \leftrightarrow y = \ln(x)$ .

6. Determine whether the function below is 1-1.

$$f(x) = (5x - 31)^3$$

The solution is yes, which is option A.

A. Yes, the function is 1-1.

\* This is the solution.

B. No, because there is an x-value that goes to 2 different y-values.

Corresponds to the Vertical Line test, which checks if an expression is a function.

C. No, because there is a y-value that goes to 2 different x-values.

Corresponds to the Horizontal Line test, which this function passes.

D. No, because the range of the function is not  $(-\infty, \infty)$ .

Corresponds to believing 1-1 means the range is all Real numbers.

E. No, because the domain of the function is not  $(-\infty, \infty)$ .

Corresponds to believing 1-1 means the domain is all Real numbers.

**General Comment:** There are only two valid options: The function is 1-1 OR No because there is a y-value that goes to 2 different x-values.

7. Find the inverse of the function below (if it exists). Then, evaluate the inverse at x = 10 and choose the interval that  $f^{-1}(10)$  belongs to.

$$f(x) = 4x^2 - 5$$

The solution is The function is not invertible for all Real numbers. , which is option E.

A.  $f^{-1}(10) \in [0.75, 1.29]$ 

Distractor 2: This corresponds to finding the (nonexistent) inverse and not subtracting by the vertical shift.

B.  $f^{-1}(10) \in [1.22, 2.45]$ 

Distractor 1: This corresponds to trying to find the inverse even though the function is not 1-1.

C.  $f^{-1}(10) \in [2.14, 4.12]$ 

Distractor 3: This corresponds to finding the (nonexistent) inverse and dividing by a negative.

D.  $f^{-1}(10) \in [6.06, 7.1]$ 

Distractor 4: This corresponds to both distractors 2 and 3.

- E. The function is not invertible for all Real numbers.
  - \* This is the correct option.

General Comment: Be sure you check that the function is 1-1 before trying to find the inverse!

8. Subtract the following functions, then choose the domain of the resulting function from the list below.

$$f(x) = \sqrt{5x + 26}$$
 and  $g(x) = 8x^2 + 6x$ 

The solution is The domain is all Real numbers greater than or equal to x = -5.2, which is option A.

- A. The domain is all Real numbers greater than or equal to x = a, where  $a \in [-6.2, -3.2]$
- B. The domain is all Real numbers except x = a, where  $a \in [1.17, 9.17]$
- C. The domain is all Real numbers less than or equal to x = a, where  $a \in [-1.8, 3.2]$
- D. The domain is all Real numbers except x = a and x = b, where  $a \in [5.33, 6.33]$  and  $b \in [-8.6, -5.6]$
- E. The domain is all Real numbers.

**General Comment:** The new domain is the intersection of the previous domains.

9. Choose the interval below that f composed with q at x = -1 is in.

$$f(x) = -x^3 - 3x^2 - 2x - 4$$
 and  $g(x) = x^3 + 4x^2 + 3x - 3$ 

The solution is 2.0, which is option A.

- A.  $(f \circ g)(-1) \in [2,3]$ 
  - \* This is the correct solution
- B.  $(f \circ g)(-1) \in [-7, -4]$

Distractor 2: Corresponds to being slightly off from the solution.

C.  $(f \circ g)(-1) \in [-20, -13]$ 

Distractor 1: Corresponds to reversing the composition.

D.  $(f \circ g)(-1) \in [-30, -17]$ 

Distractor 3: Corresponds to being slightly off from the solution.

E. It is not possible to compose the two functions.

**General Comment:** f composed with g at x means f(g(x)). The order matters!

10. Choose the interval below that f composed with q at x = 1 is in.

$$f(x) = -x^3 + 3x^2 + 4x - 1$$
 and  $g(x) = -x^3 + 2x^2 - x + 2$ 

The solution is 11.0, which is option C.

A.  $(f \circ g)(1) \in [-83, -72]$ 

Distractor 1: Corresponds to reversing the composition.

B.  $(f \circ g)(1) \in [-90, -82]$ 

Distractor 3: Corresponds to being slightly off from the solution.

C.  $(f \circ g)(1) \in [10, 18]$ 

\* This is the correct solution

D.  $(f \circ g)(1) \in [-4, 6]$ 

Distractor 2: Corresponds to being slightly off from the solution.

E. It is not possible to compose the two functions.

**General Comment:** f composed with g at x means f(g(x)). The order matters!

11. Determine whether the function below is 1-1.

$$f(x) = -24x^2 + 4x + 580$$

The solution is no, which is option A.

A. No, because there is a y-value that goes to 2 different x-values.

\* This is the solution.

B. No, because there is an x-value that goes to 2 different y-values.

Corresponds to the Vertical Line test, which checks if an expression is a function.

C. Yes, the function is 1-1.

Corresponds to believing the function passes the Horizontal Line test.

D. No, because the range of the function is not  $(-\infty, \infty)$ .

Corresponds to believing 1-1 means the range is all Real numbers.

E. No, because the domain of the function is not  $(-\infty, \infty)$ .

Corresponds to believing 1-1 means the domain is all Real numbers.

**General Comment:** There are only two valid options: The function is 1-1 OR No because there is a y-value that goes to 2 different x-values.

12. Find the inverse of the function below. Then, evaluate the inverse at x = 7 and choose the interval that  $f^{-1}(7)$  belongs to.

$$f(x) = e^{x-4} - 2$$

The solution is  $f^{-1}(7) = 6.197$ , which is option E.

A. 
$$f^{-1}(7) \in [-1.91, -1.76]$$

This solution corresponds to distractor 1.

B. 
$$f^{-1}(7) \in [-0.95, -0.87]$$

This solution corresponds to distractor 4.

C. 
$$f^{-1}(7) \in [-0.02, 0.51]$$

This solution corresponds to distractor 3.

D. 
$$f^{-1}(7) \in [-0.52, -0.32]$$

This solution corresponds to distractor 2.

E. 
$$f^{-1}(7) \in [5.63, 6.64]$$

This is the solution.

**General Comment:** Natural log and exponential functions always have an inverse. Once you switch the x and y, use the conversion  $e^y = x \leftrightarrow y = \ln(x)$ .

13. Multiply the following functions, then choose the domain of the resulting function from the list below.

$$f(x) = 2x^2 + 7x + 8$$
 and  $g(x) = \sqrt{4x - 17}$ 

The solution is The domain is all Real numbers greater than or equal to x = 4.25, which is option A.

- A. The domain is all Real numbers greater than or equal to x = a, where  $a \in [3.25, 7.25]$
- B. The domain is all Real numbers except x = a, where  $a \in [-5.75, -1.75]$
- C. The domain is all Real numbers less than or equal to x = a, where  $a \in [-1.5, 9.5]$
- D. The domain is all Real numbers except x = a and x = b, where  $a \in [3.6, 10.6]$  and  $b \in [-0.6, 7.4]$
- E. The domain is all Real numbers.

General Comment: The new domain is the intersection of the previous domains.

14. Find the inverse of the function below (if it exists). Then, evaluate the inverse at x = -15 and choose the interval that  $f^-1(-15)$  belongs to.

$$f(x) = \sqrt[3]{3x - 2}$$

A.  $f^{-1}(-15) \in [1122.93, 1124.98]$ 

This solution corresponds to distractor 2.

B.  $f^{-1}(-15) \in [-1126.09, -1125.21]$ 

Distractor 1: This corresponds to

- C.  $f^{-1}(-15) \in [-1124.91, -1123.2]$ 
  - \* This is the correct solution.
- D.  $f^{-1}(-15) \in [1124.54, 1127.79]$

This solution corresponds to distractor 3.

E. The function is not invertible for all Real numbers.

This solution corresponds to distractor 4.

General Comment: Be sure you check that the function is 1-1 before trying to find the inverse!

15. Find the inverse of the function below. Then, evaluate the inverse at x = 6 and choose the interval that  $f^{-1}(6)$  belongs to.

$$f(x) = e^{x+4} + 2$$

The solution is  $f^{-1}(6) = -2.614$ , which is option E.

A.  $f^{-1}(6) \in [4.15, 5.18]$ 

This solution corresponds to distractor 4.

B.  $f^{-1}(6) \in [3.83, 4.12]$ 

This solution corresponds to distractor 2.

C.  $f^{-1}(6) \in [5.31, 5.63]$ 

This solution corresponds to distractor 1.

D.  $f^{-1}(6) \in [2.13, 2.72]$ 

This solution corresponds to distractor 3.

E. 
$$f^{-1}(6) \in [-2.81, -2.57]$$

This is the solution.

**General Comment:** Natural log and exponential functions always have an inverse. Once you switch the x and y, use the conversion  $e^y = x \leftrightarrow y = \ln(x)$ .

16. Determine whether the function below is 1-1.

$$f(x) = (6x - 35)^3$$

The solution is yes, which is option A.

A. Yes, the function is 1-1.

\* This is the solution.

B. No, because there is an x-value that goes to 2 different y-values.

Corresponds to the Vertical Line test, which checks if an expression is a function.

C. No, because there is a y-value that goes to 2 different x-values.

Corresponds to the Horizontal Line test, which this function passes.

D. No, because the range of the function is not  $(-\infty, \infty)$ .

Corresponds to believing 1-1 means the range is all Real numbers.

E. No, because the domain of the function is not  $(-\infty, \infty)$ .

Corresponds to believing 1-1 means the domain is all Real numbers.

**General Comment:** There are only two valid options: The function is 1-1 OR No because there is a y-value that goes to 2 different x-values.

17. Find the inverse of the function below (if it exists). Then, evaluate the inverse at x = -13 and choose the interval that  $f^{-1}(-13)$  belongs to.

$$f(x) = \sqrt[3]{3x - 4}$$

The solution is -731.0, which is option A.

A. 
$$f^{-1}(-13) \in [-731.4, -729]$$

\* This is the correct solution.

B. 
$$f^{-1}(-13) \in [729.1, 731.8]$$

This solution corresponds to distractor 2.

C. 
$$f^{-1}(-13) \in [-735.7, -733.5]$$

Distractor 1: This corresponds to

D. 
$$f^{-1}(-13) \in [731.6, 734.4]$$

This solution corresponds to distractor 3.

E. The function is not invertible for all Real numbers.

This solution corresponds to distractor 4.

General Comment: Be sure you check that the function is 1-1 before trying to find the inverse!

18. Multiply the following functions, then choose the domain of the resulting function from the list below.

$$f(x) = \sqrt{5x + 21}$$
 and  $g(x) = 8x + 8$ 

The solution is The domain is all Real numbers greater than or equal to x = -4.2, which is option B.

- A. The domain is all Real numbers except x = a, where  $a \in [-4.25, -2.25]$
- B. The domain is all Real numbers greater than or equal to x = a, where  $a \in [-10.2, -3.2]$
- C. The domain is all Real numbers less than or equal to x = a, where  $a \in [-6.5, -2.5]$
- D. The domain is all Real numbers except x=a and x=b, where  $a\in[-7.75,-0.75]$  and  $b\in[0.25,8.25]$
- E. The domain is all Real numbers.

General Comment: The new domain is the intersection of the previous domains.

19. Choose the interval below that f composed with q at x = -1 is in.

$$f(x) = -x^3 - 2x^2 - 4x$$
 and  $g(x) = x^3 - 1x^2 - 4x$ 

The solution is -24.0, which is option D.

A.  $(f \circ g)(-1) \in [-6, 3]$ 

Distractor 3: Corresponds to being slightly off from the solution.

B.  $(f \circ g)(-1) \in [3, 14]$ 

Distractor 1: Corresponds to reversing the composition.

C.  $(f \circ g)(-1) \in [-21, -16]$ 

Distractor 2: Corresponds to being slightly off from the solution.

- D.  $(f \circ g)(-1) \in [-30, -23]$ 
  - \* This is the correct solution
- E. It is not possible to compose the two functions.

**General Comment:** f composed with g at x means f(g(x)). The order matters!

20. Choose the interval below that f composed with g at x = -1 is in.

$$f(x) = -x^3 + 3x^2 + 4x - 3$$
 and  $g(x) = 3x^3 + 4x^2 - 2x - 4$ 

The solution is -3.0, which is option D.

A.  $(f \circ g)(-1) \in [-39, -33]$ 

Distractor 3: Corresponds to being slightly off from the solution.

B.  $(f \circ g)(-1) \in [4,7]$ 

Distractor 2: Corresponds to being slightly off from the solution.

C.  $(f \circ g)(-1) \in [-44, -41]$ 

Distractor 1: Corresponds to reversing the composition.

- D.  $(f \circ g)(-1) \in [-3, 0]$ 
  - \* This is the correct solution
- E. It is not possible to compose the two functions.

**General Comment:** f composed with g at x means f(g(x)). The order matters!

21. Determine whether the function below is 1-1.

$$f(x) = (5x - 20)^3$$

The solution is yes, which is option C.

A. No, because the domain of the function is not  $(-\infty, \infty)$ .

Corresponds to believing 1-1 means the domain is all Real numbers.

B. No, because the range of the function is not  $(-\infty, \infty)$ .

Corresponds to believing 1-1 means the range is all Real numbers.

- C. Yes, the function is 1-1.
  - \* This is the solution.
- D. No, because there is an x-value that goes to 2 different y-values.

Corresponds to the Vertical Line test, which checks if an expression is a function.

E. No, because there is a y-value that goes to 2 different x-values.

Corresponds to the Horizontal Line test, which this function passes.

**General Comment:** There are only two valid options: The function is 1-1 OR No because there is a y-value that goes to 2 different x-values.

22. Find the inverse of the function below. Then, evaluate the inverse at x = 8 and choose the interval that  $f^{-1}(8)$  belongs to.

$$f(x) = e^{x-4} - 4$$

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The solution is  $f^{-1}(8) = 6.485$ , which is option B.

A. 
$$f^{-1}(8) \in [-1.52, -0.52]$$

This solution corresponds to distractor 1.

B. 
$$f^{-1}(8) \in [6.48, 8.48]$$

This is the solution.

C. 
$$f^{-1}(8) \in [-4.61, -1.61]$$

This solution corresponds to distractor 4.

D. 
$$f^{-1}(8) \in [-1.52, -0.52]$$

This solution corresponds to distractor 3.

E. 
$$f^{-1}(8) \in [-4.61, -1.61]$$

This solution corresponds to distractor 2.

**General Comment:** Natural log and exponential functions always have an inverse. Once you switch the x and y, use the conversion  $e^y = x \leftrightarrow y = \ln(x)$ .

23. Subtract the following functions, then choose the domain of the resulting function from the list below.

$$f(x) = 7x^2 + 7x + 9$$
 and  $g(x) = 2x + 8$ 

The solution is  $(-\infty, \infty)$ , which is option E.

- A. The domain is all Real numbers except x = a, where  $a \in [-9.17, -0.17]$
- B. The domain is all Real numbers less than or equal to x = a, where  $a \in [0.4, 7.4]$
- C. The domain is all Real numbers greater than or equal to x = a, where  $a \in [-0.33, 9.67]$
- D. The domain is all Real numbers except x = a and x = b, where  $a \in [-4.6, 7.4]$  and  $b \in [-4.75, 0.25]$
- E. The domain is all Real numbers.

General Comment: The new domain is the intersection of the previous domains.

24. Find the inverse of the function below (if it exists). Then, evaluate the inverse at x = 11 and choose the interval that  $f^{-1}(11)$  belongs to.

$$f(x) = \sqrt[3]{3x - 2}$$

The solution is 444.33333333333, which is option C.

A.  $f^{-1}(11) \in [-443.95, -442.28]$ 

This solution corresponds to distractor 3.

B.  $f^{-1}(11) \in [441.04, 444.2]$ 

Distractor 1: This corresponds to

- C.  $f^{-1}(11) \in [444.01, 444.69]$ 
  - \* This is the correct solution.
- D.  $f^{-1}(11) \in [-445.64, -444.03]$

This solution corresponds to distractor 2.

E. The function is not invertible for all Real numbers.

This solution corresponds to distractor 4.

General Comment: Be sure you check that the function is 1-1 before trying to find the inverse!

25. Find the inverse of the function below. Then, evaluate the inverse at x = 10 and choose the interval that  $f^{-1}(10)$  belongs to.

$$f(x) = \ln(x - 5) + 3$$

The solution is  $f^{-1}(10) = 1101.633$ , which is option E.

A.  $f^{-1}(10) \in [3269019.37, 3269022.37]$ 

This solution corresponds to distractor 2.

B.  $f^{-1}(10) \in [1084.63, 1094.63]$ 

This solution corresponds to distractor 3.

C.  $f^{-1}(10) \in [442415.39, 442424.39]$ 

This solution corresponds to distractor 1.

D.  $f^{-1}(10) \in [147.41, 155.41]$ 

This solution corresponds to distractor 4.

E.  $f^{-1}(10) \in [1098.63, 1103.63]$ 

This is the solution.

**General Comment:** Natural log and exponential functions always have an inverse. Once you switch the x and y, use the conversion  $e^y = x \leftrightarrow y = \ln(x)$ .

26. Determine whether the function below is 1-1.

$$f(x) = (4x - 29)^3$$

The solution is yes, which is option A.

A. Yes, the function is 1-1.

\* This is the solution.

B. No, because there is a y-value that goes to 2 different x-values.

Corresponds to the Horizontal Line test, which this function passes.

C. No, because the range of the function is not  $(-\infty, \infty)$ .

Corresponds to believing 1-1 means the range is all Real numbers.

D. No, because the domain of the function is not  $(-\infty, \infty)$ .

Corresponds to believing 1-1 means the domain is all Real numbers.

E. No, because there is an x-value that goes to 2 different y-values.

Corresponds to the Vertical Line test, which checks if an expression is a function.

**General Comment:** There are only two valid options: The function is 1-1 OR No because there is a y-value that goes to 2 different x-values.

27. Find the inverse of the function below (if it exists). Then, evaluate the inverse at x = -10 and choose the interval that  $f^{-1}(-10)$  belongs to.

$$f(x) = 3x^2 - 4$$

The solution is The function is not invertible for all Real numbers. , which is option E.

A.  $f^{-1}(-10) \in [4.25, 4.48]$ 

Distractor 4: This corresponds to both distractors 2 and 3.

B.  $f^{-1}(-10) \in [2.74, 3.91]$ 

Distractor 3: This corresponds to finding the (nonexistent) inverse and dividing by a negative.

C.  $f^{-1}(-10) \in [2.01, 2.17]$ 

Distractor 2: This corresponds to finding the (nonexistent) inverse and not subtracting by the vertical shift.

D.  $f^{-1}(-10) \in [0.95, 2.12]$ 

Distractor 1: This corresponds to trying to find the inverse even though the function is not 1-1.

- E. The function is not invertible for all Real numbers.
  - \* This is the correct option.

General Comment: Be sure you check that the function is 1-1 before trying to find the inverse!

28. Multiply the following functions, then choose the domain of the resulting function from the list below.

$$f(x) = 8x + 9$$
 and  $g(x) = 2x + 9$ 

The solution is  $(-\infty, \infty)$ , which is option E.

- A. The domain is all Real numbers greater than or equal to x = a, where  $a \in [3.25, 11.25]$
- B. The domain is all Real numbers except x = a, where  $a \in [-8.33, -3.33]$
- C. The domain is all Real numbers less than or equal to x = a, where  $a \in [1.83, 3.83]$
- D. The domain is all Real numbers except x = a and x = b, where  $a \in [-6.6, -0.6]$  and  $b \in [4.2, 13.2]$
- E. The domain is all Real numbers.

**General Comment:** The new domain is the intersection of the previous domains.

29. Choose the interval below that f composed with g at x = 1 is in.

$$f(x) = 2x^3 - 1x^2 + 2x - 3$$
 and  $g(x) = x^3 + x^2 + 3x - 4$ 

The solution is 0.0, which is option A.

- A.  $(f \circ g)(1) \in [-0.8, 2]$ 
  - \* This is the correct solution
- B.  $(f \circ g)(1) \in [-7.6, -5.6]$

Distractor 2: Corresponds to being slightly off from the solution.

C.  $(f \circ g)(1) \in [-4.3, -3.3]$ 

Distractor 1: Corresponds to reversing the composition.

D.  $(f \circ g)(1) \in [-11.7, -9.2]$ 

Distractor 3: Corresponds to being slightly off from the solution.

E. It is not possible to compose the two functions.

**General Comment:** f composed with g at x means f(g(x)). The order matters!

30. Choose the interval below that f composed with g at x = 1 is in.

$$f(x) = 2x^3 + 2x^2 - 2x$$
 and  $g(x) = -2x^3 - 1x^2 + x + 1$ 

The solution is 2.0, which is option B.

A.  $(f \circ g)(1) \in [-28, -25]$ 

Distractor 3: Corresponds to being slightly off from the solution.

B.  $(f \circ g)(1) \in [2, 8]$ 

\* This is the correct solution

C.  $(f \circ g)(1) \in [-10, 1]$ 

Distractor 2: Corresponds to being slightly off from the solution.

D.  $(f \circ g)(1) \in [-19, -16]$ 

Distractor 1: Corresponds to reversing the composition.

E. It is not possible to compose the two functions.

**General Comment:** f composed with g at x means f(g(x)). The order matters!